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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES	ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 313632001800			
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5)			
CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371	10/575,733			
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PCT/NL2004/000718 13 October 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 17 October 2003			
TITLE OF INVENTION	17 October 2003			
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APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Willem Theodoor Martinus PATER et al.				
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO	/US) the following items and other information:			
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U	l.S.C. 371.			
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a s	submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.			
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.	U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must			
4. The US has been elected (Article 31).				
5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))				
a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the Internation	onal Bureau).			
b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.	:			
c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Recei	ving Office (RO/US).			
6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (3	5 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).			
a. is attached hereto.				
b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).				
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Arti	icle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))			
a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the Interna	tional Bureau).			
b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.	٠			
c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendn	nents has NOT expired.			
d. have not been made and will not be made.				
8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under F	PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).			
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). (5 pages)				
An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).				
items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:				
11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.				
12. x An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compl (2 pages)	iance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.			
13. A preliminary amendment.				
14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. (3 pages)				
15. A substitute specification.				
16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.				
A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with P				
18. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.	C. 154(d)(4).			
19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international a	application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			

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20. x Other items or information: Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) (2 pages) Return Receipt Postcard								
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/13/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/13/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/06/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 04/13/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/13/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 04/13/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

\$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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